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Referred to Committee on Environment

Introduced by: (ENV)

AN ACT APPROPRIATING FUNDS FOR A WATERSHED MANAGEMENT PLAN FOR THE SOUTH BRANCH OF THE PARK RIVER.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 Section 1. (Effective from passage) The Department of Environmental
- 2 Protection shall develop a watershed management plan for the south
- B branch of the Park River in West Hartford. Such plan shall (1) identify
- 4 the causes and sources of pollution, (2) estimate pollution load
- 5 reductions, (3) give a detailed description of how to achieve such
- 6 estimate, (4) outline resource coordination for plan implementation, (5)
- 7 include and encourage public participation, (6) set a schedule for the
- 8 implementation of the management measures identified by the plan,
- 9 (7) set measurable goals to review specific achievements in the plan
- 10 implementation process, (8) set performance criteria to determine
- 11 whether goals are being attained, and (9) evaluate the effectiveness of
- 12 the implementation.
- 13 Sec. 2. (Effective July 1, 2008) The sum of three hundred fifty
- 14 thousand dollars is appropriated to the Department of Environmental
- 15 Protection, from the General Fund, for the fiscal year ending June 30,

- 16 2009, for purposes of the south branch Park River watershed
- 17 management plan described in section 1 of this act.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following		
sections:		
Section 1	from passage	New section
Sec. 2	July 1, 2008	New section

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